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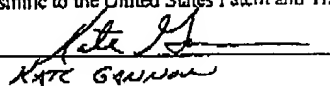
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Dear Sir:

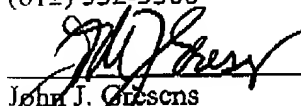
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 13, 2002, said period of response being extended from October 13, 2002 to January 13, 2003.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$920.00 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

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